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<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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# SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

**To the Member of Sonenshine & Company LLC**400 Madison Avenue - 19<sup>th</sup> Floor
New York, NY 10017

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Sonenshine & Company LLC as of December 31, 2005, and the related statements of operations, member's equity and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Sonenshine & Company LLC as of December 31, 2005, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

The supplemental information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements required by Rule 17a-5 under Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

March 30, 2006

#### **SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC** STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2005

#### **ASSETS**

Cash Accounts receivable Other assets		\$	138,865 8,000 <u>2,777</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		\$	149,642
	LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S CAP	ITAL	
Accrued expenses			<u>5,100</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES			5,100
MEMBER'S CAPITAL			144,542
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND	D MEMBER'S CAPITAL	\$	<u>149,642</u>

#### **SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC** STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

Income:

\$ 1,396,820 Commissions income Interest and dividend income 18,150

Total Income \$1,414,970

Expenses:

Office expenses 12,000 12,180 Professional fees Other expenses <u>2,352</u>

Total expenses 26,532

**NET INCOME** \$1,388,438

#### **SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC** STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MEMBER'S EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

MEMBER'S EQUITY - December 31, 2004

460,684

**NET INCOME** 

1,388,438

**DISTRIBUTIONS** 

(1,704,580)

MEMBER'S EQUITY - December 31, 2005

\$ 144,542

See independent auditors' report and notes to financial statements.

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#### SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

<b>CASH FLOWS</b>	FROM	OPER ATING	ACTIVITIES.
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Net income \$ 1,388,438

Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:

(Increase)Decrease in:

Other assets (7,250)

Increase(Decrease) in:

Accrued expenses (90)

NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES 1,381,098

CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES

Distribution of capital to parent company (1,704,580)

NET DECREASE IN CASH (323,482)

CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR 462,347

CASH AT END OF YEAR \$ 138,865

#### SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS **DECEMBER 31, 2005**

#### NOTE 1. ORGANIZATION

Sonenshine & Company LLC (the "Company") was organized as a limited liability company under the laws of the State of Delaware and is a wholly owned subsidiary of Sonenshine Partners LLC ("Parent Company"). The Company provides investment banking and corporate finance services to its clients. In December of 2005, the Company changed it's name from Sonenshine Pastor & Co., LLC, to Sonenshine & Company LLC. The parent company also changed its name from Sonenshine Pastor Advisors, LLC, to Sonenshine Partners LLC.

The principal business activity of the Company is to provide corporate finance services that require NASD registration to clients of the Company and its Parent, which is in turn principally engaged in providing a range of corporate advisory services to companies, including with respect to corporate strategy, mergers, acquisitions, divestitures, restructurings and other investment banking matters. The Company does not have any trading accounts, nor does it hold cash or securities for or on behalf of any customers or clients.

The Company is a securities broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and is a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers (the "NASD").

#### NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Cash and Cash Equivalents—The Company defines cash and cash equivalents as cash and short-term highly liquid investments having maturities of 90 days or less from their acquisition date.

Consulting Fees—Consulting fees and the related consulting fees receivable are recorded on an accrual basis. Consulting fees received in advance are deferred until earned.

Income Taxes—The Company is a single member limited liability company which is disregarded for Federal and New York State and City purposes. The income of the entity is reported by the single member on its tax return. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been provided for by the Company.

#### SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2005

Use of Estimates—The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Estimates, by their nature, are based on judgment and available information. Management believes that estimates utilized in preparation of the financial statements are prudent and reasonable. Actual results could differ materially from those estimates.

#### NOTE 3. <u>NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS</u>

The Company is subject to the Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2005, the Company had net capital of \$141,765, which was \$ 136,765 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 0.036 to 1.

#### NOTE 4. <u>RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS</u>

The Company has entered into an Administrative Services Agreement (the "Agreement") with Sonenshine Partners LLC. Pursuant to the Agreement, the Company is obligated to pay the parent company \$1,000 per month representing the expenses incurred for the provision of facilities, goods and services to the Company. During the year ended December 31, 2005, the Company incurred \$12,000 in expenses relating to this agreement that were contributed as capital by the parent company.

# SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL FOR BROKERS AND DEALERS PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-1 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1934 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

COMPUTATION OF REGULATORY CAPITAL Total member's equity	\$ 144,542
NONALLOWABLE ASSETS: Other assets	2,777
Total nonallowable assets	2,777
NET CAPITAL	\$ 141,765
AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS	\$ 5,100
MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIRED (the greater of \$5,000 or 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness)	\$ 5,000
CAPITAL IN EXCESS OF MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS	<u>\$ 136,765</u>
RATIO OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS TO NET CAPITAL	<u>3.60%</u>

There are no material differences between this computation of net capital and the corresponding computation prepared by the Company and included in its unaudited Part IIA Focus Report as of December 31, 2005.

See independent auditors' report and notes to financial statements.

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#### **SONENSHINE & COMPANY LLC** RESERVE AND POSSESSION OR CONTROL REQUIREMENTS UNDER RULE 15c3-3 AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2005

The LLC does not clear or carry any customer accounts, nor is it holding any funds or securities owned by customers. Therefore, the requirement that there must be a reserve is not applicable in this case and the LLC has claimed an exemption from Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission under paragraph (k)(2)(i) of that rule.

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#### Supplementary Report of Independent Auditors On Internal Control Required by Rule 17a-5

The Member Sonenshine & Company LLC

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Sonenshine & Company LLC (the Company) for the year ended December 31, 2005, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities Exchange Commission ("SEC") we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company, including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the criteria stated in Rule 17a-5(g), in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons,
- 2. Recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13, and
- 3. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal controls, and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph, and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned criteria. Two of the criteria of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use of disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional criteria of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in any internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, misstatements due to errors or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of internal control to future period are subject to the risk that internal control may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that meet the criteria referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not meet such criteria in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2005, to meet the SEC's criteria.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the member, management, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., the SEC, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

March 30, 2006

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